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MEMORANDUM FOR: SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Release of the Revised "Business Enterprise Architecture (BEA) Compliance Guidance for BEA 8.0"

This memorandum issues the following revised "Business Enterprise Architecture (BEA) Compliance Guidance for BEA 8.0" (BEA Compliance Guidance), which replaces the BEA Compliance Guidance dated March 12, 2010.

This revision provides clarification over key areas of the BEA compliance process, including:

- Use of the Department's Strategic Management Plan (SMP) and end-to-end processes as key driving factors of the BEA
- Use of DoD Architecture Framework (DoDAF) 2.0
- Description of the basic steps for conducting a BEA assessment
- The incremental approach to business system development, deployment BEA compliance through use of the Business Capability Lifecycle (BCL)
- Use of business process reengineering linked to the BEA

These updates are intended to provide the DoD Components with more thorough assistance in asserting compliance to the BEA and enable the Investment Review Boards (IRBs) in implementing and enforcing DoD Enterprise-level compliance requirements in support of interoperability and data standardization.

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